FISCAL NOTE

HB 2514 - SB 2745

February 16, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides that the procedure on challenging student school assignments would not apply to requests for school transfers based on situations of *individual hardship*.

Under current law, if a student's parent is dissatisfied with the child's school assignment, such parent may apply in writing to the board of education for a hearing on the reasonableness of the assignment within 10 days of such assignment and request a transfer to another school. The application for transfer must state specific reasons why the applicant believes such child should not attend the school assigned and specific reasons why the child should be assigned to a different school.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Any impact on local government expenditures is estimated to be minimal.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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